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Homicide Investigation 810 E. Clark Blvd. UPDATE

MPD Detective James Abbott arrested Anthony P. Smith (8867 Short Creek Rd. Christiana; 9-3-91) on a charge of First Degree Murder. He has been booked at the Rutherford County Sheriff's Office and is being held on \$500,000 bond. He is scheduled to appear in court on April 24, 2014.

The victim has been identified as Christopher Turley (8-10-90; 810 E. Clark Blvd. Murfreesboro).

The Violent Crimes Unit is investigating. Anyone with information regarding this case should call Criminal Investigations Division at 893-2717 or Crime Stoppers at 893-STOP (7867).

Previously Released:

The Murfreesboro Police Department is investigating a homicide at 810 E. Clark Blvd. Officers responded around 5:00a.m. this morning to investigate a shooting. When officers arrived, they discovered that a male subject had been shot. This victim was pronounced deceased at the scene. Investigators are working to confirm the identity of this person and notify family.

A possible witness received minor injuries during the incident and was transported to Saint Thomas Rutherford Hospital for treatment. Other potential witnesses are currently being interviewed both at the scene and at the Police Department.

The Crime Scene Unit is currently processing the scene for evidence. The Violent Crimes Unit is investigating.

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